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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated August 19, 2009, Applicants elected without traverse Group I, claims 1 to 10, drawn to a support having an affinity for an antibody and a method of using the support. In addition, Applicants elected without traverse the following species: (1) SEQ ID NO: 3; and (2) Polyarylamine as the support having an amino group with SEQ ID NO: 5 as the defined linker (*i.e.* R₂) and SEQ ID NO: 3 as the amino acid sequence (for R₁).

Inadvertently, Applicants did not indicate which claims encompass the elected species. Accordingly, Applicants hereby submit that claims 1 to 3 and 5 to 10 encompass the elected species.

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